## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 917 By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mandy Ham, 2002 Salutatorian of Wilson Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Mandy Ham is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Wilson Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Ham has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Mandy has earned an exemplary 3.9 Grade Point Average; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Ham has combined ability in athletics with her academic achievements as a member of the Wilson Central High School Freshman Basketball team; she was also voted "Most Talented" by her Senior classmates; and

WHEREAS, Mandy's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, her noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Rod and Sandy Ham, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Mandy Ham's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 2002 Wilson Central High School Salutatorian, Mandy Ham, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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